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Restoring Wildlife Habitat on Private Lands in Delaware & Maryland

The lecture series, "An Evening at the Hook," continues the 2012 season with "Restoring Wildlife Habitat on Private Lands in Delaware and Maryland" on Thursday, March 8, 2012, at 7:00pm at Prime Hook National Wildlife Refuge in Milton, Delaware. Hosted by Brian Jennings, a biologist with the U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service at the Chesapeake Bay Field Office, this presentation will highlight wildlife habitat restoration projects on the Delmarva Peninsula including their purpose, funding, and restoration techniques. Types of restoration projects such as wetland restoration, reforestation, and grassland establishment will be discussed. Join us before the lecture at 6:30pm for light refreshments.

"An Evening at the Hook" is a lecture series that highlights this nation's abundant and diverse natural resources, particularly close to home at Prime Hook National Wildlife Refuge. Featured on the second Thursday of every month at 7:00pm in the Refuge Auditorium, these hour-long programs provide an exciting opportunity to learn intriguing facts about our plants, animals, environment, and cultural history. The lectures are free, open to the public, and fun for the entire family. Seating is limited on a first-come, first-serve basis. Please call the Refuge at (302) 684-8419 for more information.

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